

CERTIFICATE OF INDEBTEDNESS OF PERU

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BEARING SEVEN PER CENT

INTEREST PER ANNUM IN GOLD

Whereas the Congress of Peru has authorized the Executive by a Resolution adopted on the 11th day of April 1875, to enter into arrangements with the Contractors for the sale of Guano in the United States of America for the purpose of canceling their Contract; and whereas said arrangements have resulted in a Contract being made and executed in the City of Lima in the Republic of Peru on the 21st day of April 1875 between the Government of Peru on the one part and said Contractors, that is to say the Guano Consignment Company in the United States of America, a mercantile association duly organized and established in the said City of Lima on the other part and whereas in the above last mentioned contract it is covenanted and stipulated that in part payment of certain indebtedness of the Government of Peru to the said Company, the Government of Peru shall issue and deliver to the said Company, Certificates of Indebtedness of the value each of One Thousand Dollars, United States Gold Coin to the aggregate amount of Five Million six hundred thousand Dollars bearing interest at the rate of SEVEN per cent per annum, both principal and interest to be paid in United States Gold Coin at the Office of Messrs. Hobson, Shillade and Company, Financial Agents of Peru in New York. Now therefore the Government of Peru hereby acknowledges itself indebted unto the Guano Consignment Company in the United States of America in the sum of One Thousand Dollars in United States Gold Coin and promises to pay said sum of One Thousand Dollars to the holder of this Certificate in the manner hereinafter to be stated with interest accruing thereon semiannually at the rate of Seven per cent per annum from and after the first day of May 1875 on surrender of the annexed coupons as they may severally become due. And the principal of this Certificate which is one of a series of thirty hundred Certificates all of the same tenor and all numbered consecutively from 1 to 3000 inclusive, shall be paid at the following times and manner. On the 1st March 1876 out of the total number of Certificates issued Three hundred and sixty Certificates shall be drawn by lot being 12% of the total amount owed, on the 1st March 1877 out of the Certificates remaining after the first drawing in this plan Two hundred and forty Certificates shall be drawn by lot being 8% of the total amount owed, on the 1st March 1878 out of the Certificates remaining after the two previous drawings One hundred and twenty Certificates shall be drawn by lot being 4% of the total amount owed, on the 1st March 1879 out of the Certificates remaining after the three previous drawings Sixty Certificates shall be drawn by lot being 2% of the total amount owed, on the 1st March 1880 out of the Certificates remaining after the four previous drawings Thirty Certificates shall be drawn by lot being 1% of the total amount owed, and the said Certificates remaining after the five previous drawings shall be considered and dealt with in regard to what follows, as if they had been drawn by lot on the said 1st March 1880. The serial numbers corresponding to the Certificates drawn at the different times and dates above mentioned shall be inserted immediately after each drawing in the plan in the morning daily papers of the City of Lima for ten consecutive days. The Financial Agents of the Government of Peru announcing at the same time that the corresponding Certificates will be delivered on the 1st day of May then next ensuing and such Certificates shall accordingly be paid on and after the 1st day of May in the respective years in part in gold coin upon presentation and surrender of the Certificates at the Office of the Financial Agents of Peru in New York. The drawings shall take place at the Office of the Financial Agents of Peru in the City of New York in the presence of the Peruvian Consulate with the attendance of a Notary Public and of one person or persons who may desire to be present. Interest on this Certificate shall once per annum on the day on which the principal shall become payable. As much as the indebtedness of the Government of Peru to the said Company in part of which is represented by this Certificate of the nominal value of \$1000 in gold coin, and grows out of sums of money paid by the said Company to the Government of Peru in the performance of certain contracts and agreements entered into between the Government of Peru and the said Company of sundry items to wit the years 1865 and 1869 towards the reimbursement of which sums of money and the interest accruing thereon the Government of Peru has sold for consumption in the United States and has authorized or pledged it is understood and declared that the same guarantee which secures the payment of the original indebtedness continues and shall continue for the future pledged towards the payment of these Certificates and the interest accruing on them so that the said Company shall be fully secured for the entire amount of Certificates to be paid full with interest, to the exclusion of all other liens and obligations which may have been or shall be imposed subsequently to the above mentioned year of 1869 on the net proceeds of Peruvian Guano sold for consumption in the United States, agreeably to the agreements and stipulations entered into between the Government of Peru and the said Company, fully set forth in the Contract bearing date the 21st day of April 1875 herein before referred to, of which an authentic copy is deposited with the Financial Agents of the Peruvian Government in New York, subject to examination by all parties having an interest in these Certificates. Now all men by these presents, that I the undersigned Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Peru in Washington have been instructed and specially authorized to pledge and depose by pledge, the National Faith of Peru towards the faithful performance and observance of the conditions under which this Certificate has been issued as above set forth.

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my seal of office and signature on behalf of the Government of Peru in the City of New York on this first day of May 1875.

Alfonso Herrera
 Financial Agents of Peru.

Manuel Freyre
 Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Peru.

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Whereas the Congress of Peru has authorized the Executive by a Resolution adopted on the 16th day of April 1875, to enter into arrangements with the Contractors for the sale of Guano in the United States of America for the purpose of canceling their Contract; and whereas said arrangements have resulted in a Contract being made and executed in the City of Lima in the Republic of Peru on the 21st day of April 1875 between the Government of Peru on the one part and said Contractors, that is to say the Guano Consignment Company in the United States of America, a mercantile association duly organized and established in the said City of Lima on the other part and whereas in the above last mentioned contract it is covenanted and stipulated that in part payment of certain indebtedness of the Government of Peru to the said Company, the Government of Peru shall issue and deliver to the said Company, Certificates of Indebtedness of the value each of **One Thousand Dollars**, United States Gold Coin to the aggregate amount of **Three Million six hundred thousand Dollars** bearing interest at the rate of **SEVEN** per cent per annum, both principal and interest to be paid in United States Gold Coin at the Office of Messrs. Hobson, Hubbard and Company, Financial Agents of Peru in New York. Now therefore the Government of Peru hereby acknowledges itself indebted unto the Guano Consignment Company in the United States of America to the sum of **One Thousand Dollars** in United States Gold Coin and promises to pay said sum of One Thousand Dollars to the holder of this Certificate in the manner hereinafter to be stated with interest accruing thereon semiannually at the rate of Seven per cent per annum from and after the first day of May 1875 in surrender of the annexed coupons as they may severally become due. And the principal of this Certificate shall be one of a series of thirty hundred certificates all of the same tenor and dated and numbered consecutively from 114 to 143 inclusive, shall be paid after the following terms and manner: On the 1st March 1876 out of the entire number of Certificates issued, Three hundred and sixty certificates shall be drawn by lot being 10% of the total amount issued; on the 1st March 1877 out of the Certificates remaining after the first drawing takes place, Five hundred and forty certificates shall be drawn by lot being 20% of the total amount issued; on the 1st March 1878 out of the Certificates remaining after the two previous drawings have taken place, Seven hundred and twenty certificates shall be drawn by lot being 25% of the total amount issued; on the 1st March 1879 there will be One thousand and eighty certificates remaining not drawn and these shall be considered and dealt with in regard to what follows, as if they had been drawn by lot on the said 1st March 1879. The serial numbers corresponding to the Certificates drawn by lot at the different times and dates above mentioned shall be inserted immediately after each drawing into a paper of the day of drawing for consecutive days, the Financial Agents of the Government of Peru announcing at the same time that the corresponding Certificates will be redeemed on the 1st day of May following and such Certificates shall accordingly be paid in as aforesaid 1st day of May in the respective years as per list set out upon presentation and surrender of the Certificates or Certificates in the Office of the Financial Agents of Peru in New York. The drawings shall take place in the City of New York in the presence of the Peruvian Consulate with the attendance of a Ministry Public and of any person or persons who may desire to be present. Interest on this Certificate shall commence on and after the day in which the principal shall become payable. And as much as the indebtedness of the Government of Peru to the said Company, a part of which is represented by these Certificates of the total nominal value of \$3,600,000 in Gold Coin and grows out of sums of money paid by the said Company to or for account of the Peruvian Government in the performance of certain engagements and agreements entered into between the Government of Peru and the said Company at sundry times between the years 1865 and 1869, and as the reimbursement of such sums of money and the interest accruing thereon the proceeds of all Peruvian Guano sold for consumption in the United States, and being so secured or pledged, it is understood and declared that the same guarantee which secures the payment of the original indebtedness continues and shall continue for the purpose pledged towards the payment of these Certificates and the interest accruing on them, and that no other liability or obligation shall be imposed subsequently to the above mentioned year of 1869, on the net proceeds of Peruvian Guano sold for consumption in the United States, agreeably to the agreements and stipulations entered into between the Government of Peru and the said Company, fully set forth in the Contract bearing date the 21st day of April 1875 herein before referred to, of which an authentic copy is deposited with the Financial Agents of the Peruvian Government in New York, subject to examination by all parties having an interest in these Certificates. Now all men by these presents, that I the undersigned Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Peru in Washington have been instructed and specially authorized to pledge, and do hereby pledge, the National Faith of Peru towards the faithful performance and observance of the conditions under which this Certificate has been issued as above set forth.

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my seal of office and signature on behalf of the Government of Peru in the City of New York on this first day of May 1875.

Alfonso Herrera

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Manuel J. Goyos

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